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Attacked. 1) Response. ((pages); 2) Two (2) CO-ROMS;

5) Paper rep. 1 Degree listing (36 pages); 4) declaration

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6) Clear copy & amended specification (778 pages); 7) copy

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE DATED NOVEMBER 26, 2007

Dear Sir / Madam,

This is a response to the Notification of Defective Response dated November 26, 2007. Attached herewith are: 1) Transmittal Form; 2) a copy of the Notice (2 pages); 3) declaration (4 pages); and, 4) copy of response filed June 28, 2007 including return postcard showing that declaration was previously submitted (8 pages). It should be noted that the response filed June 28, 2007 included a preliminary amendment and payment of all fees including excess claim fees based on that amendment.

Applicants do not believe any petitions, requests for extension of time, or fees are due with this response. If this is in error, Applicants hereby make such petition or requests and authorize the deduction of any required fees from Deposit Account No. 500715. If funds available in Deposit Account No. 500715 are insufficient, the fees may be deducted from Deposit Account No. 50-0244.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/14/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/14/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/20/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/23/2007
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 06/28/2007
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 06/28/2007
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/20/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 10/20/2006

Applicant's response filed 11/23/2007 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 12/28/2006 have not been completed.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- · Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date.
- · Surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 was not received.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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• \$130 Surcharge.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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